



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

EXAMINING GROUP 2879

Docket No.: 1876.1006 (formerly 1082.1060)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Minoru HASEGAWA, et al.

Serial No. 10/617,227

Group Art Unit: 2879

Confirmation No. 2346

Filed: July 11, 2003

Examiner: Matthew P. Hodges

For: SUBSTRATE ASSEMBLY FOR GAS DISCHARGE PANEL, PROCESS FOR
MANUFACTURING THE SAME, AND GAS DISCHARGE PANEL

**RESPONSE AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**

Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: **BOX AF**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 19, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on January 19, 2007.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

Ordered
w/RCE
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